FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA TOS AUG 8 P 1: 24 EASTERN DIVISION

GEORGE MASON,

Plaintiff,

v.

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC.;
AMERICAN GENERAL CORPORATION;
AMERICAN GENERAL FINANCE, INC.;
MERIT LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY;
YOSEMITE INSURANCE COMPANY;
KATHIE ROWELL; and Fictitious Defendants
"A", "B", and "C", whether singular or plural,
those other persons, corporations, firms, or other
entities whose wrongful conduct caused the
injuries and damages to the Plaintiff, all of whose
true and correct names are unknown to Plaintiff
at this time, but will be substituted by
amendment when ascertained,

civil action no. 3:0501752-F

Defendants.

STATEMENT IN COMPLIANCE WITH FRCP 7.1

COME Now defendants American General Financial Services of Alabama, Inc. ("AGFSI") (improperly designated as American General Finance Inc. in the complaint), as successor to American General Finance, Inc., Merit Life Insurance Company ("Merit"), and Yosemite Insurance Company ("Yosemite") (collectively referred to as "Defendants"), and hereby submit this statement in compliance with Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 7.1. In support thereof, Defendants state as follows:

Defendants American General Financial Services, Inc., a Delaware corporation, Merit Life Insurance Co., an Indiana corporation, and Yosemite Insurance Company, an Indiana corporation, are not publicly traded, and each is wholly-owned by American General Finance Corporation, an Indiana corporation. American General Finance Corporation is not publicly traded and is wholly-owned by American General Finance, Inc., an Indiana corporation. American General Finance, Inc. is also not publicly traded, and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of American General Corporation, a Texas corporation. American General Corporation is not publicly traded, and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of American International Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation. American International Group, Inc. is a publicly traded corporation.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Statement in Compliance with FRCP 7.1 was served on the following by directing same to their office addresses through first-class, United States mail, postage prepaid, on this the _____ day of August, 2005.

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